

Sec. 8. Subsection (a) of Section 20-88 of the General Statutes is hereby amended by adding to the end of the second sentence of the subsection a proviso to read as follows:

"Provided, that in the case of trucks, truck-trailers, and semi-trailers operated by common carriers electing to pay the gross receipts tax, the division of declared gross weight shall be determined as though the vehicles were being licensed as contract carriers."

Sec. 9. Section 20-96 of the General Statutes is hereby amended by inserting immediately following the word "thereto" at the end of the first sentence of the second paragraph of the Section the words "and the overloading penalty provided in this Section and Section 20-118 has been paid."

Sec. 10. Section 20-99 of the General Statutes is hereby amended by adding to the end thereof a new paragraph to be numbered paragraph 5 and to read as follows:

"The provisions, procedures, and remedies provided in this Section shall be applicable to the collection of penalties imposed under the provisions of Section 20-96, Section 20-118, or any other provisions of this Chapter imposing a tax or penalty for operation of a vehicle in excess of the weight limits provided in this Chapter and the Commissioner is authorized to collect such taxes or penalties by the use of the procedure established in paragraphs 1, 2, 3 and 4 of this Section."

Sec. 11. (a) Section 20-110 of the General Statutes is hereby amended by adding thereto a new subsection to be designated subsection (h) and to read as follows:

"The department may rescind and cancel the registration or certificate of title on any vehicle on the grounds that the application therefor contains any false or fraudulent statement or that the holder of the certificate was not entitled to the issuance of a certificate of title or registration."

(b) Section 20-110 of the General Statutes is hereby amended by adding thereto in its proper place a new subsection to be designated subsection (i) and to read as follows:

"The department may rescind and cancel the registration or certificate of title of any vehicle when the department has reasonable grounds to believe that the vehicle is a stolen or embezzled vehicle, or that the granting of registration or the issuance of certificate of title constituted a fraud against the rightful owner or person having a valid lien upon such vehicle."

(c) Section 20-110 of the General Statutes is hereby amended by adding thereto in its proper place a new subsection to be designated subsection (j) and to read as follows:

"The department may rescind and cancel the registration or certificate of title of any vehicle on the grounds that the registration of the vehicle stands suspended or revoked under the Motor Vehicle Laws of this State."

Sec. 12. All laws and clauses of laws in conflict with this Act are hereby repealed.

Sec. 13. This Act shall become effective July 1, 1955.